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PRESIDENT MAURSTAD PRESIDING

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Good morning and welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber for the sixth day of the Ninety-Seventh Legislature, First Session. Our prayer this morning will be by Senator Roger Wehrbein.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: (Prayer offered.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Wehrbein. Members, would you please record your presence.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have a quorum present.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Are there any corrections?

CLERK: I have no corrections, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Any messages, reports or announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, a series of Reference report referring LB 224 through LB 305; also a series of gubernatorial appointees to refer to appropriate Standing Committee for confirmation hearings; and a couple of re-referrals, Mr. President.

I have a hearing notice from Revenue Committee signed by Senator Wickersham, as Chair; an announcement that Senator Vrtiska has been selected as Chair of the Building Maintenance Committee, Mr. President; Senator Redfield has been chosen as Vice Chair of the Urban Affairs Committee. And that's all that I have at this time, Mr. President. (Legislative Journal pages 211-217.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Members, we will continue with bill introduction.

CLERK: Mr. President, new bills. (Read LB 443-447 by title for the first time.) That's all the bills I have right now, Governor. (Legislative Journal pages 217-218.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Mr. Clerk.